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Interview. LMFAO

▶ With "Party Rock Anthem," LMFAO have had the No. 1 song in the country for five straight weeks. As writer Meredith Engel found out in what turned out to be a very revealing sit-down interview with the duo, Redfoo and SkyBlu don't just sing about the party lifestyle. They live it. {page 16}

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Parking lot purchase costs $21M

MIDTOWN. And you thought parking in the city was expensive. A parking lot in Midtown was reportedly sold for $21 million. The lot, on West 37th Street, was sold by a family who had owned the space since the Civil War. The space originally served as a home for horses and, later, an embalming business. This has been the priciest sale of a residential property so far this year, according to the Daily Mail. METRO/AB

Urban wildlife. Red panda

▶ You can visit Biru everyday from 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. at the Central Park Zoo.

JULIE LARSEN MAHER/WCS

Central Park Zoo gets new friend

Biru, a 1-year-old red panda, just joined the other animals at the Central Park Zoo in an exhibit that opened yesterday. He will share the Temperate Territory with his female companion, Amaya. Red pandas are endangered because of deforestation. METRO/CG

Workers nearly die in waste-filled lift

Elevator malfunctions during heavy rainfall ◗ Two men trapped inside in mix of sewage and rainwater up to their necks ◗ Stuck for an hour

As nearly 8 inches of rain poured onto the city on Sunday, two men nearly drowned in an elevator filled with gushing rain and sewer water.

Construction workers Edward Tyler, 26, and Wendell Amaker, 48, both of New Jersey, found themselves submerged in a nightmare on Staten Island.

The two had been moving supplies for renovations at the former Staten Island Hotel when the elevator sunk to the bottom floor and stopped responding. That's when water from the flooded basement began leaking in through the locked doors.

"We thought we were dead," Tyler told the New York Daily News. "I literally thought I was going to die."

After frantically calling 911, the men finally reached rescuers, but could not give them an exact address, only an intersection. When the FDNY tried to call them back, their phones were already underwater.

"They dialed 911 15 times, but couldn't get a signal," Amaker's wife, Debra Williams, told Metro.

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"They were scared; they feared for their lives." MELVIN

"As we walked in, we heard people screaming," said Ladder 86's Captain James Melvin. "The water was up to their necks."

Melvin and his men immediately cut power to the elevator and began to pry open the top hatch to rescue the pair. The FDNY team put a ladder through the top of the opening and down into the mix of rain and sewage water.

"There was no way they were getting out themselves," Melvin said. "A couple more hours, they could have drowned. The water was semisewage."

The men were brought to the nearby station house for a hot shower.

Williams was relieved after her husband's ordeal. "I gave him a big hug," she said.

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In the news

Arrest in Upper East Side rape

A Harlem man was charged with sneaking into an Upper East Side apartment and raping a 27-year-old woman Saturday. Cops said Jason Quinones, 21, a convicted drug dealer on parole, broke into the ground-floor apartment through a window on East 90th Street. METRO/AB

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▶ A casino rendering

Bird poop delays open for casino

QUEENS. The casino at Aqueduct Race Track in Ozone Park, Queens had to delay its grand opening because of a river of pigeon droppings in the building. Officials said pigeon droppings layered the floors, ceilings and walls, and were part of the reason Genting Resorts World New York needed $15 million to clean up the venue. METRO/AB

Man charged with luxe scam

MANHATTAN. A man was charged with defrauding investors in a shopping site. The Manhattan district attorney's office indicted Andrew Albert for defrauding three investors of $590,000. Prosecutors said Albert's victims thought they were investing in a luxury shopping site, which he told them would feature a "virtual street akin to famous boulevards." He never launched the company. METRO/AB

▶ Weiner

Pols squabble for Weiner seat

BROOKLYN. Former Mayor Rudy Giuliani endorsed Bob Turner yesterday in a race to fill the former seat of disgraced Congressman Anthony Weiner.

But last week Turner released a television ad that showed images of the World Trade Center that earned ire from City Council Speaker Christine Quinn.

"I don't think people who are running for office should use the tragedy of 9/11 for political gain," Quinn said to the New York Observer. "Let's have some things in our lives be sacred." METRO/EAE

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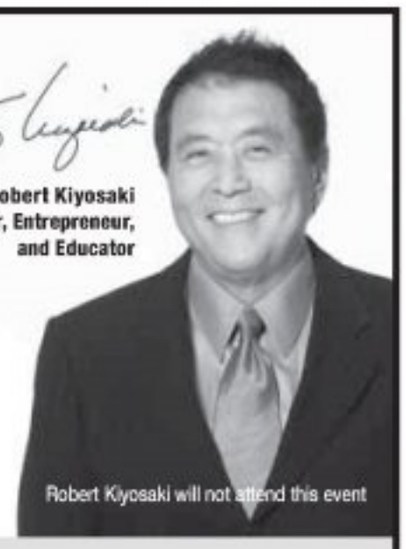

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Clinton praises 9/11 responders

Former president speaks to firefighters first on the scene Warns of 'unfinished business' of 9/11 cleanup

Former President Bill Clinton was in town yesterday morning to address the International Association of Fire Fighters in downtown Manhattan.

Just weeks from the 10th anniversary of the Sept. 11 attacks, Clinton said the media's attention to the tales of heroism that came out of that day reminds him of the important work of first responders.

"There's been a change in what it means to be a firefighter today," he said.

He then mentioned the health issues that came from exposure to toxins while "working through the rubble."

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▶ Clinton

We should "behave a little more every day the way we all did when our hearts were broken on 9/11." CLINTON

"On this anniversary of the terrible thing that happened ... we also must remember the unfinished business," the former president said, seeming to allude to the James L. Zadroga 9/11 Health & Compensation Act.

The law provides funding and medical care for ill 9/11 responders. The act's passage has been plagued by controversy because many sick workers are excluded from coverage, including those who now have cancer.

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New laws to keep kids safe

One month after the murder of Leiby Kletzky, politicians vow to protect children with new legislation

It has been one month since 8-year-old Leiby Kletzky was killed only blocks from his Brooklyn home and politicians are proposing at least three bills to try to make sure another child never faces the same fate.

Assemblyman Dov Hikind wants to give a $500 tax credit to businesses that install security cameras. Cameras helped police track Kletzky's alleged killer, Levi Aron. The boy can be seen on a store security tape getting into Aron's car, police say.

Hikind's spokeswoman Allison Witty said their office recently met with a security company to find out what neighborhood establishments, including houses and churches, should have cameras. They are also examining whether there is funding for grants, so that small businesses don't need to foot the bill.

Additionally, Brooklyn state Sen. Martin Golden introduced the "Protect Our Children" Act, which would create the charge of aggravated murder of a child — a new crime that would bring a sentence of life without parole.

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Look for the green stickers

NEW YORK. Councilman David Greenfield in July proposed "Leiby's Law", which would allow local businesses to became safe spots for kids. Green window stickers would mark local businesses as safe places for kids to stop if they are lost or need help. Owners and employees would undergo background checks and be instructed to call the police for a distressed child. METRO/AB

An oasis of eateries

NEW YORK. The number of restaurants has increased by 42 percent in the last decade, according to the New York Post.

In 2009, 7,966 restaurants dotted the five boroughs, with large growth in the Lower East Side, where restaurants nearly doubled, and Williamsburg and Park Slope. The highest concentration of restaurants can be found in areas like Little Italy, SoHo and the East Village. METRO/AB

5,610 Number of licensed eateries in the city in 1999; by 2009 the number of restaurants had shot up to 7,966.

Gov. Cuomo rode state plane home

ALBANY. Gov. Andrew Cuomo is catching heat for using taxpayer-funded aircraft to get to and from his Westchester home 16 times. The Associated Press reported that Cuomo used these during tours of the state while he was pushing for budget cuts. Ethics officials have said that state aircraft should not be used for commuting. METRO/AB

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Seating. Invention

▶ Meeting Bowls will be up through Sept. 16.

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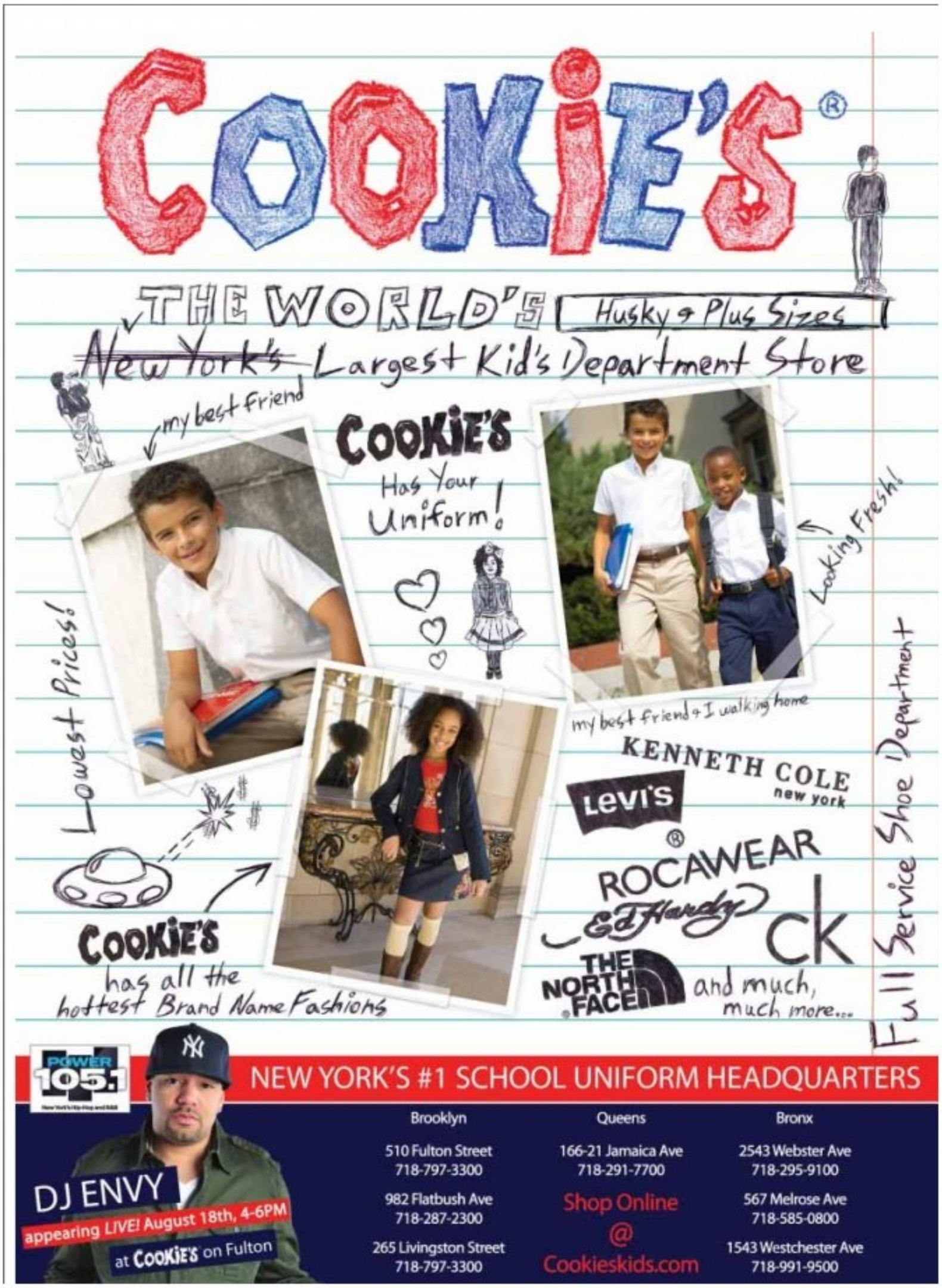
Who needs a bench? These "Meeting Bowls," three semispheres, will be unveiled tomorrow at 46th Street and Broadway. METRO/CB



Get silly for a good cause

▶ Participants in last year's Great Urban Race pose in front of Strawberry Fields in Central Park.

Solve riddles while raising money The Great Urban Race benefits St. Jude's and food pantry

Now's your chance to help others — all while sleuthing around Manhattan with your friends.

This Saturday will be the Great Urban Race, a competition which includes mental and physical challenges to raise money for St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital.

This summer is the fifth year of the citywide challenge, which starts at the Upper West Side Boat Basin Cafe. Teams must collect 12 "clues" in order to win. For example, participants may be asked to pluck an exotic bug from a city park, complete a yoga move at a studio or paddle a boat in Central Park.

Welcome back to Metro Giving! Twice a month, Metro writes about New Yorkers who are helping others in unique ways. We've written about everyone from a woman who donated her holiday bonus to help feed the hungry to a man who gave a kidney to a stranger.

"The whole purpose of the event is to provide a fun day ... running around the city," said race director Lauren Shield.

The first 25 teams to finish win a chance to compete for the national championship in New Orleans — and its $10,000 prize.

The race started in 2007, and interest was so great that this year, for the first time, they broke it into two — one in Brooklyn held in June, and this month's race in Manhattan.

For each person that enters, Red Frog Events, which hosts the race, will donate $10 to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. The West Side Campaign Against Hunger, a food pantry, will also benefit.

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Get involved!

Upcoming charity opportunities and events:

- **Thursday:** You are invited to the Face It Foundation's fundraising event to help men and their families cope with depression. Thursday's event marks the culmination of a cross-country tandem bike ride, where founder Mark Meier with his daughter Anna pedaled from San Francisco to New York to overcome the stigma of depression in men. The fundraiser starts at 7 p.m. at the Red Bull Space in Soho and tickets are $100.
- **Friday:** NY deVolunteer Inc., a nonprofit which promotes cross-cultural exchange, will hold a happy hour fundraiser from 7 to 10 p.m. at Slattery's Midtown Pub. It's free to attend.

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Google gets hands on Motorola cell patents

Search firm doubles down on mobile business with acquisition

Google announced its acquisition of mobile phone maker Motorola Mobility Holdings.

Google's biggest foray into hardware comes weeks after a failed attempt to buy patents from bankrupt Nortel, and gives it an intellectual property library in wireless telephony to wage war on Apple and Microsoft.

But in buying Motorola, the Internet giant risks alienating the hardware partners that license its free Android software. Google CEO Larry Page sought to calm the jitters by stressing yesterday that Android will remain open to all.

$12.5B
The Motorola acquisition marks Google's biggest deal ever — $12.5 billion cash.

After being shut out of Nortel deal, Google Chief Legal Officer David Drummond wrote a blog post accusing Microsoft, Apple and Oracle of colluding to buy up patents and curtail growth of its Android mobile operating system. Page says Motorola's strong patent portfolio will protect Android from "anti-competitive threats." REUTERS

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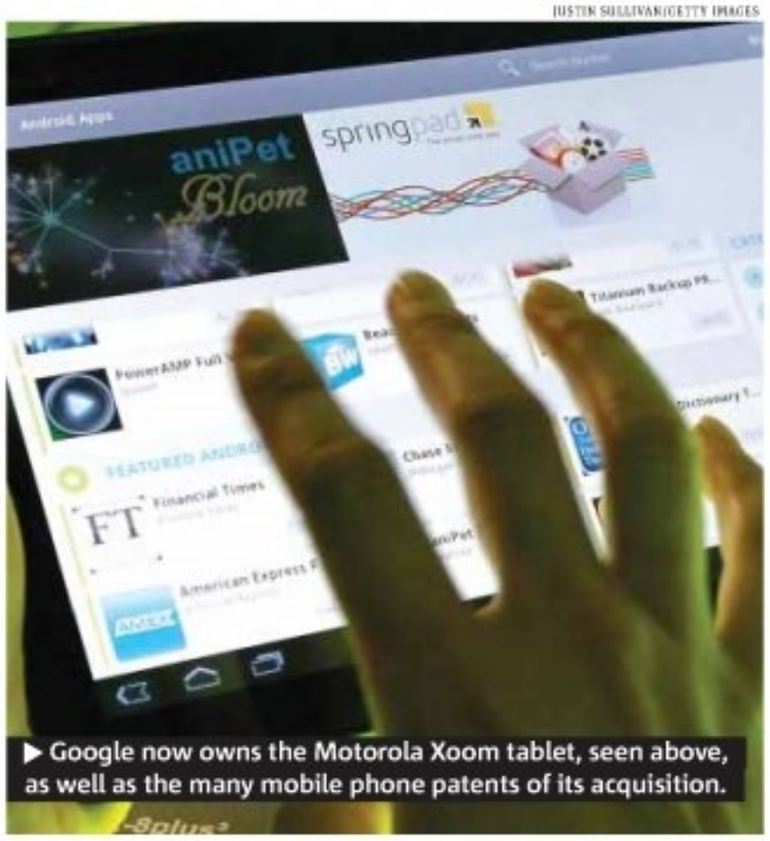

▶ Google now owns the Motorola Xoom tablet, seen above, as well as the many mobile phone patents of its acquisition.

Thieves nab costly hotel art

LOS ANGELES. Investigators were examining hotel surveillance video for clues to the disappearance of a drawing by Rembrandt from a private exhibit near Los Angeles, officials said.

The pen-and-ink drawing known as "The Judgment" by the 17th century Dutch artist Rembrandt van Rijn vanished from the Ritz-Carlton Marina del Rey while the curator was "distracted" for about 15 minutes, according to an L.A. sheriff's spokesman. REUTERS

Memorial as fair reopens

INDIANAPOLIS. The Indiana State Fair reopened yesterday with a half-hour service remembering those who died following the collapse of its main concert stage over the weekend in heavy wind.

The disaster, which killed five people, occurred on Saturday night, and the fair had been shut down on Sunday.

"There was a hero every 10 feet Saturday night," Indiana Gov. Mitch Daniels said at the service. REUTERS

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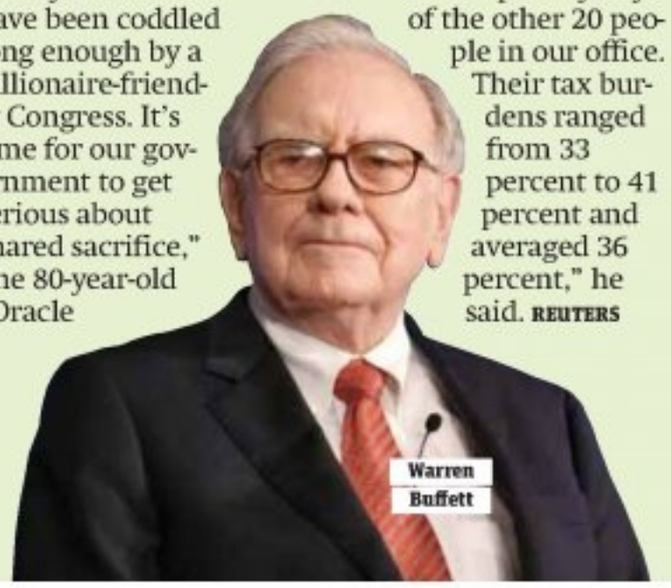
Buffett: Stop coddling the rich

Billionaire Warren Buffett urged U.S. lawmakers to raise taxes on the country's super-rich to help cut the budget deficit, saying such a move will not hurt investments.

"My friends and I have been coddled long enough by a billionaire-friendly Congress. It's time for our government to get serious about shared sacrifice," The 80-year-old "Oracle of Omaha" wrote in an opinion article in The New York Times.

Buffett, one of the world's richest men and chairman of conglomerate Berkshire Hathaway Inc., said his federal tax bill last year was $6,938,744.

"That sounds like a lot of money. But what I paid was only 17.4 percent of my taxable income — and that's actually a lower percentage than was paid by any of the other 20 people in our office. Their tax burdens ranged from 33 percent to 41 percent and averaged 36 percent," he said. REUTERS



More homeowners choose shorter loans

Many choose to refinance while interest rates are low 37 percent changed 30-year mortgage to 15 or 20 years Should you wait for better?

More homeowners prefer to pay off their mortgages sooner as interest rates have stayed near rock-bottom and weak labor conditions have caused them to reduce their debt loads, a survey showed yesterday.

The current trend in refinancing into shorter loan terms is a stark contrast to the one during the height of the housing boom, when families were taking out bigger mortgages against the rising values of their homes.

Of those homeowners who refinanced a 30-year fixed-rate mortgage during the second quarter, 37 percent moved into a 15-year or 20-year fixed-rate loan. This is the highest since the third quarter of 2003, mortgage finance agency Freddie Mac said.

In the second quarter, interest on the 30-year mortgage averaged 4.65 percent, compared with a 3.84 percent average on 15-year mortgages, the company said.

"It's no wonder we continue to see strong refinance activity into fixed-rate loans," Freddie Mac's chief economist, Frank Nothaft, said in a statement.

Refinancing has comprised the bulk of U.S. mortgage activity since the housing bust that led to the 2007-2009 global financial crisis.

During the second quarter, the refinance share of mortgage applications (versus the share of applications for loans to buy a home) averaged 70 percent, Freddie Mac said. REUTERS

Now or later?

Should consumers jump to refinance or buy a new home? Or should they wait for a new bottom?

Now is the time to act, says Alex Stenback, a blogger and mortgage banker. "Don't get lulled into a sense of complacency over what the Fed says about interest rates. They can move up, and this window can shut much faster than people imagine," he cautions.

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Iraq. Violence

▶ An Iraqi man inspects damages at the Mar Afram Syriac Orthodox Church following an explosion in Kirkuk yesterday.

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Bombs, attacks hit Iraqi cities

Suicide attackers and car bombs hit cities across Iraq yesterday, killing at least 60 people in apparently coordinated assaults authorities blamed on al Qaeda affiliates intent on destabilizing the government. REUTERS

Autism likelier for siblings

Siblings of children with autism have a higher risk of being diagnosed with the disorder than previously believed, according to a new study.

The analysis of more than 600 3-year-olds with an older, autistic sibling found that almost one in five of them had an autism spectrum disorder, which includes Asperger's syndrome and similar conditions.

That suggests pediatricians need to keep an extra eye on those siblings, even as toddlers, because early interventions with therapy and extra support might help keep their symptoms to a minimum, researchers said.

"We know that the brain at young ages is more amenable to change," said study author Wendy Stone of the University of Washington Autism Center in Seattle. REUTERS

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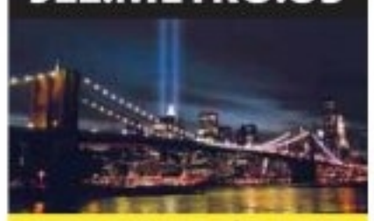

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Male body found at Falls

BUFFALO, N.Y. A college student who overstepped a safety railing fell into Niagara Falls over the weekend, and searchers looking for her body yesterday found an unidentified male body instead.

The 19-year-old international student from Japan was presumed drowned after she plunged into the fast-flowing waters near the brink of Horseshoe Falls on the Canadian side of the falls at about 8:30 p.m. on Sunday, according to Canadian park police. REUTERS

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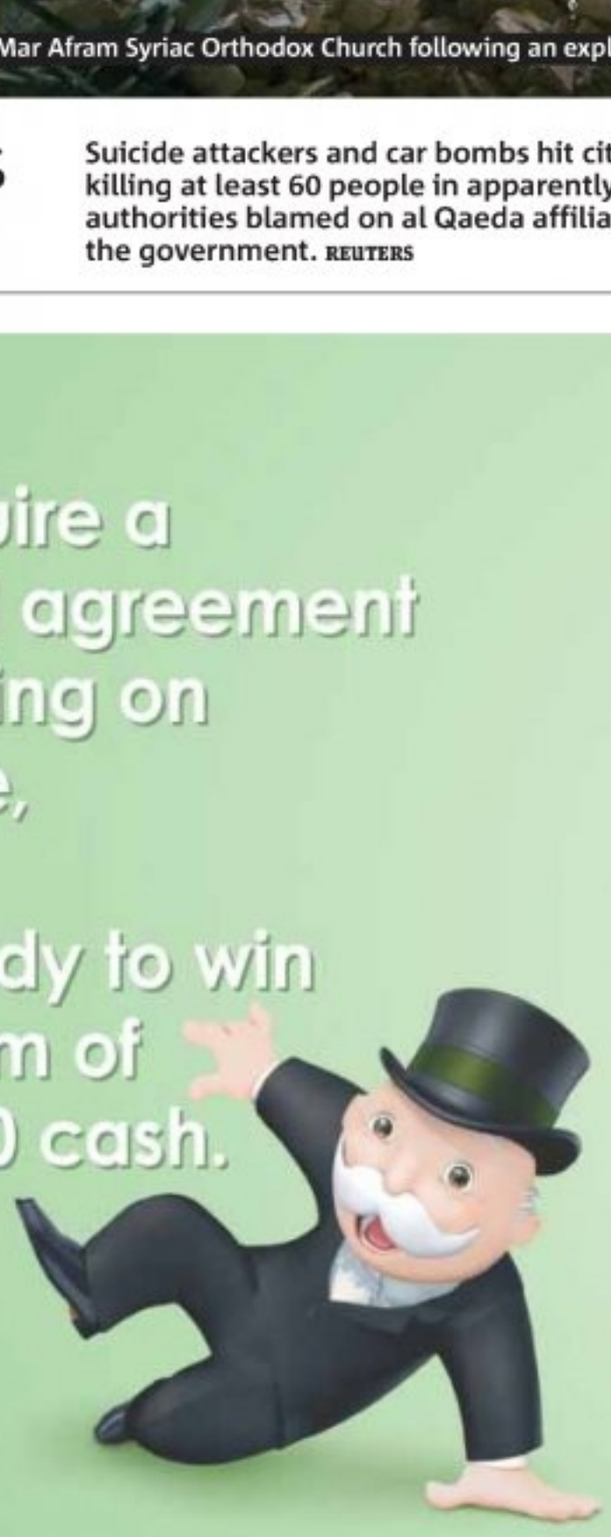

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Wedding Bands	Up To	$250
Mountings	Up To	$750
Antique Items	Up To	$5,500
Single Flatware Items	Up To	$750
Dental Gold Items	Up To	$500
Coins & Bullion		Bring for quote
Scrap Gold		Bring for quote

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We will pay up to for the following rare coins:

*U.S. Silver Halves 1934 and Older	*U.S. Three Cent Pieces 1889 and Older
*U.S. Silver Quarters 1932 and Older	*U.S. Two Cent 1873 and Older
*U.S. Silver Dimes 1934 and Older	*U.S. Indianhead 1 cent 1909 and Older
*U.S. Half Dimes 1873 and Older	*U.S. Large Cent 1857 and Older
*U.S. Nickels 1913 and Older	*U.S. Half Cent 1857 and Older

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U.S. Two Cent - 1864 Small Motto	Up To	$1,000
U.S. Large Cent - 1803 Large Date Small Fraction	Up To	$1,250
U.S. Half Cent - 1793	Up To	$1,250

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United States

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1836 to 1839	Trade Dollars	1921 to 1935

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1878CC	Up To	$15,500
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Our Aim is to Beat Most Offers!

We Strive to Beat All Legitimate Written Offers

Before Bringing your items to us, take them to other dealers. Have them give you legitimate offers in writing. Then bring your jewelry and written offers to one of our locations. Although no one can guarantee with certainty they are paying the highest price for an article at any particular time, we will strive to beat most legitimate written offers.

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YOUR ITEM LIST

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- ☐ Gold Jewelry
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- ☐ Diamond Jewelry
- ☐ Wristwatches
- ☐ Pocketwatches
- ☐ Antique Jewelry
- ☐ Cameos
- ☐ Platinum Jewelry
- ☐ Charm Bracelets
- ☐ Gold Rings
- ☐ Garnet Jewelry
- ☐ Enamel Items on Gold & Silver
- ☐ Dental Gold

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- ☐ Coin Collections
- ☐ Carson City Silver Dollars
- ☐ Indianhead Pennies
- ☐ Investment Coins
- ☐ Certified Coins

✓ **STERLING SILVER:**
- ☐ Silver Jewelry
- ☐ Flatware Sets
- ☐ Single Flatware Items
- ☐ Tea Sets
- ☐ Antique Items (all kinds)

PLEASE NOTE: We can arrange one of our representatives to visit your home if you have a large jewelry and coin collections.

STERLING SILVER

All Time Periods, Kinds & Types

We will pay up to for the following:

Centerpieces	Up To	$3,500
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Tea Sets	Up To	$10,500
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*$2.50	1840 to 1929	*$5.00	1839 to 1908	*$20.00	1850 to 1933
*$3.00	1854 to 1889	*$5.00	1908 to 1929		

Your Coins Could be Worth Up To Hundreds — Even Thousands!

Check your items to see if you own any of these valuable coins:

$1.00	1849C	Up To	$10,500
$2.50	1796 Capped Bust large left side	Up To	$18,000
$2.50	1841 Quarter Eagle Liberty Head	Up To	$5,000
$3.00	1854D	Up To	$10,500
$5.00	1795 Small Eagle	Up To	$52,000
$5.00	1838D	Up To	$10,500
$5.00	1842C Small Date, 1861D, 1864S	Up To	$6,500
$5.00	1909O, 1929	Up To	$6,500
$10.00	1793 13 Leaves Below Eagle, 1796 9 Leaves Below Eagle	Up To	$20,500
$10.00	1859O, 1863S, 1875	Up To	$8,000
$20.00	1856O, 1854O, 1860O, 1861S, 1870CC, 1886, 1891	Up To	$10,500

WRIST & POCKET WATCHES

All Kinds, Time Periods & Types

Rare Watches Worth a Fortune in Cash! Pay up to for the following:

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Audemars piguet	$32,500	Grubelin	$42,500	Ulyssee Nardin	$10,000
Ball	$4,000	Hamilton	$500	Vacheron & Constantin	$26,000
Breitling	$15,000	Illinois	$1,500	Chronograph Watches	$16,500
Cartier	$12,500	Jules Jurgenson	$16,000	Ladies Watches	$11,000
Corum	$3,000	LeCourtte	$6,000	Musical Watches	$37,500
Ditishiem	$14,000	Longines	$13,000	Pocket Watches	$52,500
Dudley	$11,500	Movado	$2,500	Regular Watches	$11,000
E. Howard & Co.	$12,000	Omega	$2,500	Repeating Watches	$85,000
Elgin	$750	Rolex	$16,000	Stop Watches	$11,000
Frodsham	$12,000	Seth Thomas	$1,500	World Time Watches	$37,500

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Really like it here! Everyone is very kind, great atmosphere. I have been back 4 times!
— C. Pace

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— J. Grace

It was really fast!
— A. Davis

I heard about this store from the radio and as soon as I got the chance I came to sell my unused jewelry. It was a great & friendly service and I will be back!
— J. Simek

My service was exceptional!
— C. Sweeney

Very informative & professional. A relaxed atmosphere & experience.
— D. Rees

The staff was helpful and friendly. I was able to take old jewelry and walk away with a handsome amount of money.
— D. Smith

I was offered a certain amount at one place and when I told RCFG the amount they beat the price by a good amount. People are very friendly and courteous.
— J. Bloomquist

Had fun selling my old jewelry that was broken. Received some extra cash for Springtime and our new puppy. I would recommend RCFG!
— C. Lang

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THE WORD

Metro's **Dorothy Robinson** shares her take on the world of gossip @dorothyatmetro dorothy.robinson@metro.us

The feed ...

▶ Checking in with some of Hollywood's biggest names to see what they've been up to — in their own words, in 140 characters or fewer.

Mindy Kaling is worried about Leo, Jonah Hill isn't up on current events, Rita Wilson is having trouble finding balance and Steve Martin just can't enjoy himself.

▶ **@mindykaling**
I really don't want Bar Rafaeli to get back together with Leonardo diCaprio again if this Blake Lively thing blows over.

▶ **@JonahHill**
I'm in London any cool stuff I should do?

▶ **@RitaWilson**
Working vs. tweeting? I forget to tweet when I work!

▶ **@SteveMartin**
ToGo: Playing computer chess with myself, but finding it hard to climb on desk, straddle monitor and look down.

Mindy Kaling

Hudson uses her power for good

It's great to see celebrity power used for good, especially in the face of tragedy. On Sunday, Oscar-winning actress and Grammy-winning singer **Jennifer Hudson**, along with her sister, **Julia Hudson**, hosted the first ever Hatch Day on behalf of the Julian D. King Gift Foundation at the De La Salle Institute in Chicago. If you remember, **Julian King** was Hudson's 7-year-old nephew who was killed in late 2008 by **William Balfour**, Julia's estranged husband. Balfour also murdered Hudson's mother and brother. At the event, held on what would have been King's 10th birthday, 2,000 Chicago students received school supplies and got to create their own custom backpacks. And that's not all: Hudson will be featured in robocalls to 285,000 Chicago public school students, reminding them that school starts Sept. 6. "It feels good to give back to children, as he was a child," Hudson told ABC News. "And also to help inspire your kids — that's one of the things that helped me growing up, to know that, 'Wow, if this is in my presence, then I can achieve and I can do it, too.'"

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▶ Jennifer Hudson, left, poses with her sister, Julia Hudson, and a photo of her slain nephew, Julian D. King, during the first Julian D. King Gift Foundation Hatch Day celebration at De La Salle Institute in Chicago.

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Tara Reid's whirlwind weekend

Tara Reid's romantic timeline on Twitter is awesome. On Saturday, the actress first announced that she was engaged. Most media outlets assumed her fiance was Danish businessman **Michael Lillelund**, who Reid had been dating since last year. Two hours later, she updated her status to read: "Just got married in Greece. I love being a wife." But it turns out Lillelund wasn't the groom after all. Reid had to get on Twitter to clear it up: "His name is **Zack Kehayov**" she wrote. Life & Style got their hands on the wedding photo. "She can't wait to get back and celebrate with her friends and family," a friend tells the mag. Knowing Reid's past clothing malfunctions, let's be thankful the nuptials didn't turn into "niptials."

Talking points

See ya later, Kate Gosselin

Kate Gosselin to get a real job? It certainly looks that way as her days as a reality TV star are numbered. "TLC has decided not to renew another season of 'Kate Plus 8,'" a network rep told PEOPLE in a statement. "By the end of this season, 'Kate Plus 8' will have hit the 150 episode mark (including 'Jon & Kate Plus 8'); an exceptional milestone. TLC hopes to check in with Kate and the family periodically with specials in the future."

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▶ It's time to write her off.

'Lone Ranger' stays alone

Looks like **Johnny Depp** won't be riding off into the sunset in a big-screen remake of "The Lone Ranger," as Disney pulled the plug on the project after producers were unable to bring down the $250 million budget, according to Deadline. Depp, who was going to play Tonto, is reportedly still optimistic something will happen.

Reese Witherspoon

Witherspoon's wild side?

Reese Witherspoon might not be such a good girl after all. The actress showed off her beach body — and some new body art — while vacationing in Hawaii recently, according to Us Weekly. The bikini-clad Oscar-winner was spotted beachside with husband **Jim Toth** on Sunday sporting a large tattoo of a star flanked by two birds prominently displayed on her abdomen.

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Red carpets, book signings and more

1: Soulja Boy, flanked by fans, performed at the mstyle Lab Concert Tour at Macy's on Saturday in Fort Lauderdale, Fla.
2: David Beckham took the perfect date to VH1's Do Something Awards on Sunday — his son, Brooklyn.
3: Amy Poehler also attended the Do Something Awards and looked lovely in yellow while doing so.
4: Jason Momoa, star of the new "Conan The Barbarian," popped up at the film's European premiere at the 02 Arena Sunday in London on Sunday.
5: Yes, she is now an author: Nicole "Snooki" Polizzi signed copies of her book "A Shore Thing"at Barnes & Noble on Saturday in Paramus, N.J.
6: Ashley Tisdale and her new nose attended the Paley Center For Media's "PaleyFest Family 2011" on Saturday in Beverly Hills, Calif.

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Style pick

Go ahead and RSVP for the party

Now you don't have to wait for your big day to shine in a Monique Lhuillier gown. Last week it was announced that the designer — known for her gorgeous, romantic bridal wear — will create a diffusion line of evening gowns and cocktail dresses with Group JS International. The ML Monique Lhuillier line, hitting department stores such as Saks Fifth Avenue and Neiman Marcus this month, ranges in price from $398 to $798. Get ready to steal somebody's thunder.

Your game plan for Fashion's Night Out

Fashionsnightout.com makes planning your route for fashion's biggest party (on Sept. 8) a breeze

CRAIG MCDEAN

During this year's Fashion's Night Out, you are not going to miss any of the following: the carnival at Alice + Olivia, complimentary manis at Chanel (with the newest collection designed by Peter Philips, creative director of Chanel Makeup, exclusively for the night), lobster rolls at Helmut Lang or illustrator Jessica Repetto sketching live portraits onto Band of Outsiders tote bags at the Opening Ceremony shop at Ace hotel. That's because you, my friend, will be tuned in. Thanks to Fashionsnightout.com, a new, handy website that lists participating stores along with event details, you'll be as up to speed as Anna Wintour...well almost.

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TV watch list

GEORGE LANGE

▶ London and Kelly tell us "What Not To Wear."

'What Not To Wear'

REALITY. Just because you work for the rich and famous doesn't mean you dress like them. The assistant to Jenny McCarthy and Cheryl Burke of "Dancing with the Stars" gets the Clinton Kelly/Stacy London ambush. **Season premiere, 9 p.m., TLC**

'Cupcake Wars'

REALITY. Four bakers are tasked with creating cupcakes for Comic-Con's Masquerade Party. We're imagining little edible R2D2s already! **8 p.m., Food Network** ● AMBER RAY

Correction

In the Aug. 11 edition of Metro, we incorrectly stated that Hotel Chantelle is a hotel. It is actually a tri-level restaurant, bar and lounge. We regret the error. ● METRO

Party rockers in the house tonight

● LMFAO don't always play by the rules of the family ● What is the 'Party Rock Anthem' duo like when not performing? ● Actually, they're pretty much the same

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▶ LMFAO walk it like they talk it — or shall we say, drink it like they sing it?

Whether the members of LMFAO are getting spray-painted before shows, incorporating giant blow-up zebras into their act or drenching their audience in champagne, it's safe to say that life has been a nonstop party for the hip-hop/electro duo of DJs Redfoo and SkyBlu.

Redfoo is Skyblu's uncle, and music is in their blood: Berry Gordy, founder of Motown, is Redfoo's father and SkyBlu's grandfather.

"We grew up around a lot of parties, so I think that really added to our personality," says SkyBlu, backstage at the Billboard Summer Blowout Concert in New York City. "When we make electro music, I think that comes through."

Redfoo says he's learned a few things from Motown's business approach: "They would teach artists how to walk, how to talk, how to make love to the fans. See, we break some of those rules, because they would say, 'In an interview don't drop your pants and start doing the freak.' But me, I got to do it."

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With that, he drops trou to bare his shiny gold briefs.

Like every other family, the pair quarrels every now and then. What does the duo who shouts the word "shots" more than 30 times in the chorus of their 2009 single do to settle scores?

"What we usually do is bet shots," says Redfoo.

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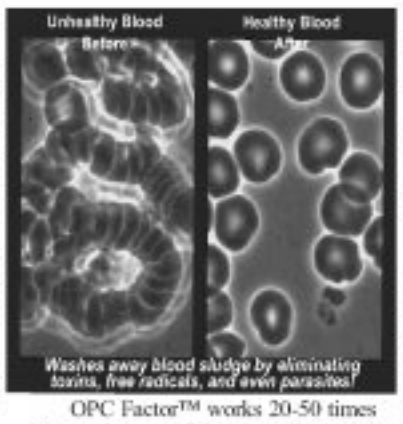

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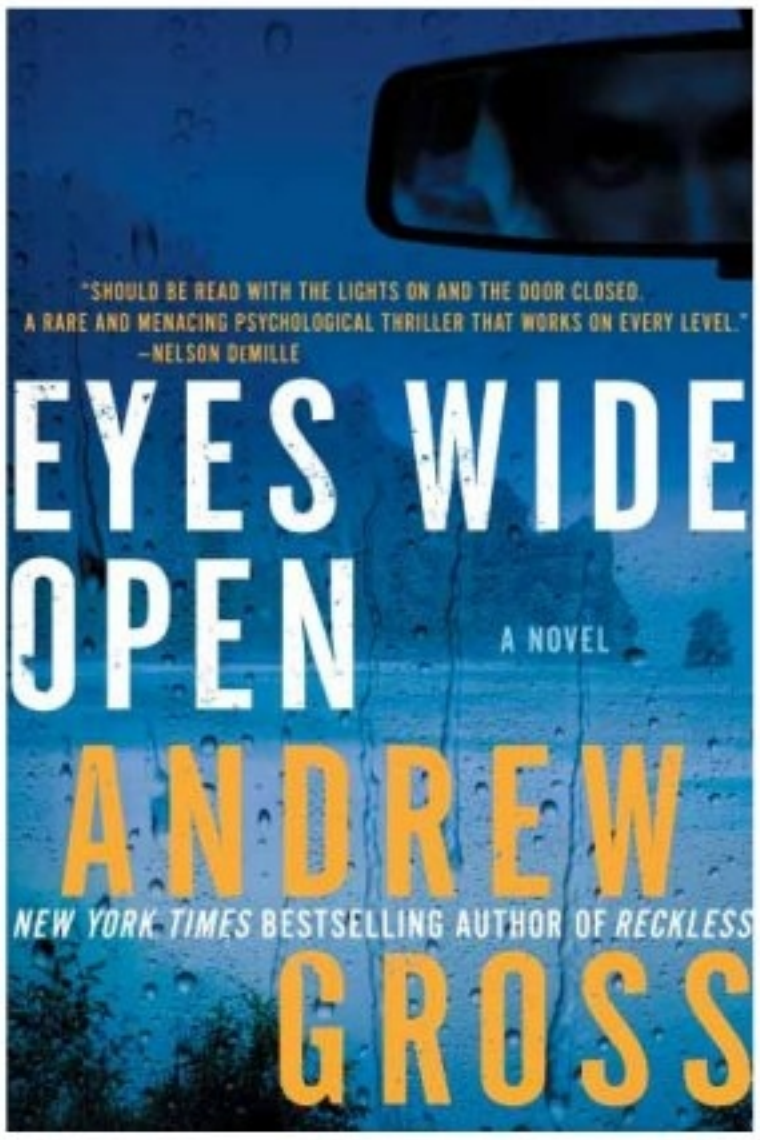

A few suspenseful summer stories

- Need a thriller to add some kick to the waning days of summer?
- A look at the most nail-biting reads released in the past few months

'Eyes Wide Open'
Andrew Gross
"Eyes Wide Open" proves that you don't need an CIA operative/detective/political conspiracy to craft an unsettling murder mystery. Gross delves into the world of cults, suicides and tragic family circumstances to weave this thriller about a murderous hippie clan and a suspicious suicide by a young man.

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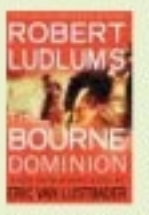
'Shut Your Eyes Tight'
John Verdon
Verdon burst onto the thriller scene last summer with his debut novel, "Think of a Number," which introduced readers to NYPD detective Dave Gurney. In this sequel, set a year later, Gurney must solve the high-profile murder of a young bride who was killed at her own wedding reception.

'Adrenaline'
Jeff Abbott
Abbott's stylized prose makes him a thriller writer for people who don't necessarily love the genre. "Adrenaline" follows ex-CIA agent Sam Capra who must go rogue save his kidnapped wife (who also happens to be a suspect in the bombing of the British headquarters of the CIA) and child.

'Robert Ludlum's The Bourne Dominion'
Eric Van Lustbader
Lustbader continues the Bourne franchise (creator Robert Ludlum died in 2001) in this updated series. In his latest, "The Bourne Dominion," Bourne tries to trust Boris Karpov, the head of Russia's most feared spy agency, to help him track down a group of terrorists.



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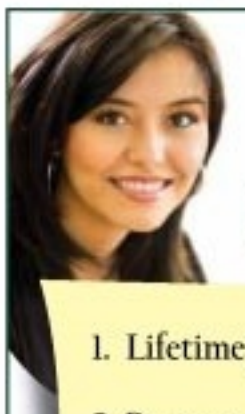

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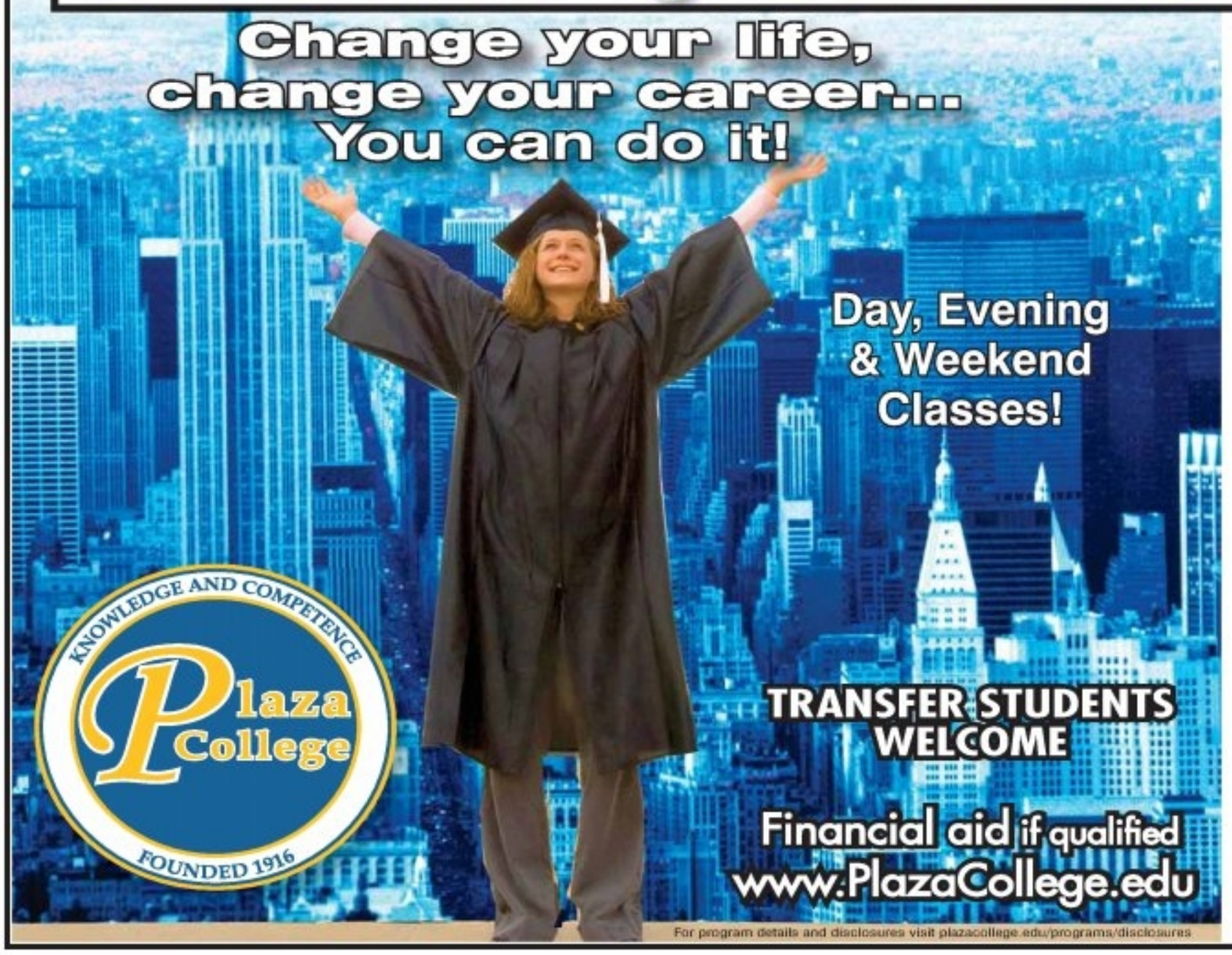

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RE: "THE GAME INSTRUCTS: PRANK THA POLICE?": Every morning I grab the Metro and scan through quickly in efforts to keep myself busy and informed during my 20-minute ride downtown. This morning I was offended and disgusted by your choice to generalize and reference rappers as illiterate. Not sure how a prank equates to illiteracy. I guess I'm wondering if that same adjective would have been used for a Josh Meyer or Chris Martin? **PORSHA SUMMERVILLE, VIA E-MAIL**

Tax money not for the people

RE: "IT'S THE HAVE VS. THE HALVES": Printing $16 trillion and borrowing 43 cents of every dollar only destroys the value of the dollar. The poor and middle class will always suffer disproportionately when this tactic is used. Money raised by tax increases will not be used to pay debt, it will be spent on government expansion.
KELLY DONNOE, LYNBROOK

Why not start acting our age?

If we, the adults, keep feeding a child a daily allowance of self-hate, they will boomerang that hate onto an unsuspecting society that will have dire consequences on every citizen in the Republic.
ANTHONY P. JOHNSON, VIA E-MAIL

Capitalism is unsustainable

No, it's not the Republicrats; no it's not the liberals, it's not the conservatives and it ain't the gays or the feminists or the immigrants or the Muslim extremists or the rich or the poor or the voters or the morons — or even Obama. It's all of that and then some. It's our capitalist system that is falling apart right now in front of our eyes.
SUZY SANDOR, MANHATTAN

Not enough to just boo Obama

The recent debates waged among Republican and Tea Party candidates have tainted the air. Their common chant is "stop Obama, stop Obama", like a cult straight out of a horror flick. Do they not feel that America has greater issues to deal with — like the economy, jobs and so on? If so, it would be nice to hear them talk about their plans to solve these problems for a change, instead of repeating the same old hypnotic anti-Obama mantras.
JONATHAN PERRY, VIA E-MAIL

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Horoscope

♌ Leo **July 23-Aug. 22.** This is likely to be the day when you'll make up your mind to call the shots on your life, especially if you've been disenchanted of late.

♍ Virgo **Aug. 23-Sept. 22.** New avenues for expression will be found for furthering a secret ambition you've been nurturing for far too long. If you are getting those signals now, act on them right away.

♎ Libra **Sept. 23-Oct. 23.** Don't hesitate to take advantage of any opportunity you get to become involved with a new social group, especially if it's made up of interesting people.

♏ Scorpio **Oct. 24-Nov. 22.** Respond to any urges you get to begin elevating your ambitions, no matter how big or small. You couldn't find a better time to focus on objectives that motivate you to move up the ladder.

♐ Sagittarius **Nov. 23-Dec. 21.** New knowledge you'll begin acquiring will have a more meaningful and immediate good effect on your life. This new cycle couldn't be better for learning what's important.

♑ Capricorn **Dec. 22-Jan. 19.** Through direct or indirect developments, you could be put onto something that has larger profitable qualities than you've ever experienced.

♒ Aquarius **Jan. 20-Feb. 19.** An arrangement or agreement that you enter into will benefit all parties involved and have substantially more chances for success than you've ever experienced previously.

♓ Pisces **Feb. 20-March 20.** The way you conduct yourself regarding your work is being analyzed by someone who could make your life substantially better. Continue to put forth your best efforts.

♈ Aries **March 21-April 19.** Watch out, because today's aspect could stimulate your appreciation for all things, making it possible for you to see something special in someone and fall head over heels in love.

♉ Taurus **April 20-May 20.** Both endings and beginnings could occur out of nowhere. What was unproductive in your life could suddenly be replaced with fresh hopes.

♊ Gemini **May 21-June 20.** It behooves you to try to see life from a new and/or more constructive angle. If you do, you will view things as more than mere impediments; they'll become new opportunities.

♋ Cancer **June 21-July 22.** You are likely to place greater emphasis on producing larger earnings. These new urges will immensely help you create new ways to produce a fatter wallet. **BERNICE BEDE OSOL**

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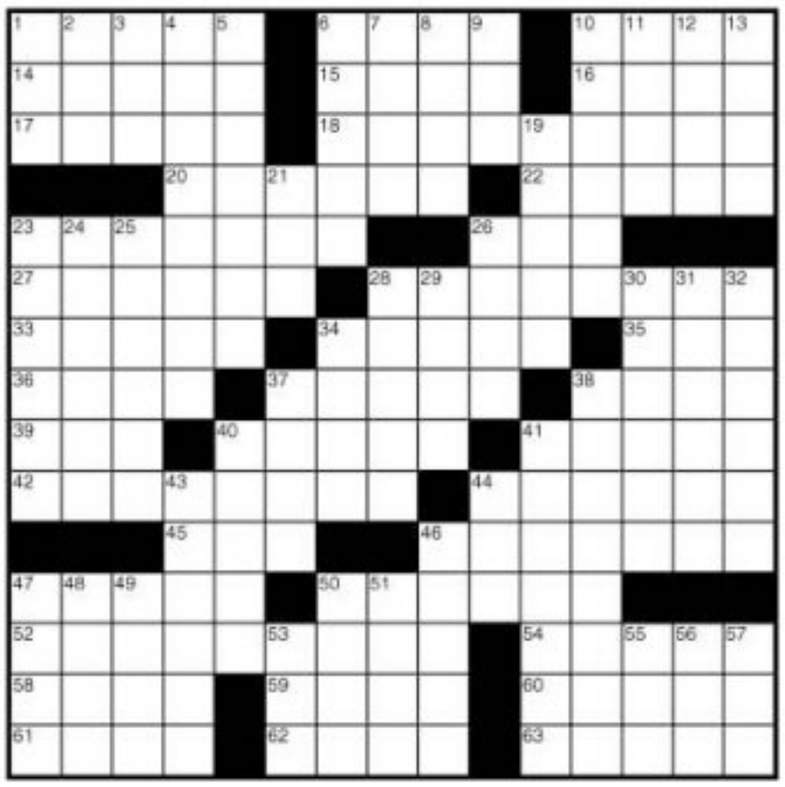

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Top ways to explore Krabi

A trip to the west coast of Thailand is a must when you visit the country Here are the most exotic experiences you can have

You can't visit Thailand without experiencing the country's incredible beaches. And since flights and ferries go to Krabi daily, the resort town is a perfect place for you to bask in the beauty of the Andaman Sea for a few days before taking off for other must-see Thailand destinations. We asked Veerasak Siburunang, general manager of the secluded five-star Rayavadee Resort (nestled in the photo above), for a few tips on how to make sure your trip to Krabi is an exotic one.

1. Kayak with monkeys

Kayak through lush mangrove forests at Ta Lane Nature Reserve. Ta Lane's cliffs, caverns and green "alleys" full of birds and curious monkeys are where nature lovers should spend a day. Great for kids, too.

2. Rise to new heights with a rock-climbing lesson

If you're going to go rock climbing, you might as well do it in paradise. Raiay Beach is surrounded by magnificent limestone cliffs, and climbing instructors for all skill levels abound.

3. Have a candlelit dinner in a cave

Don't feel like climbing? Rayavadee's Grotto restaurant allows non-thrill seekers to enjoy dinner under a sheer limestone cliff face with views over Phranang Beach and Happy Island.

4. Take in the "view from above" at Tiger Cave Temple

Climb the 1,000-plus steps to the top platform of this local Buddhist pilgrimage site built around a steep cliff formation and enjoy stunning views over the plains below.

5. Get diving certification

Take a three-day dive course and explore the beautiful coral reefs of Krabi's underwater world — for half the cost of certification in the U.S.

6. Experience Phranang Beach

Consistently voted one of the world's most beautiful beaches, Phranang Beach's clear waters are perfect for a dip, snorkeling, kayaking or just enjoying a stroll on the soft, white sand. There is a shrine to a local princess in a cave at one end of the beach, which is definitely worth a visit for a bit of insight into local beliefs. METRO

Boat it!

Krabi is world-famous for its water. A must-see is Phi Phi Island, which has the most exquisite turquoise water and white-sand beaches and was made famous in the movie "The Beach" with Leonardo DiCaprio. There are full-day guided excursions via speedboats. You can also take a romantic cruise along Krabi's magnificent coastline aboard an antique Siamese junk boat. Rayavadee's 100-year-old Siamese junk, the Pla Luang (above), is one of only a few of these vessels remaining in the area.

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In the news

Mark Sanchez vs. Rex Ryan?

Apparently every non-Jet football fan in America has company. In GQ's September issue, Sanchez is quoted as saying he "wanted to fight" his coach. Presumably it was hyperbole, but just in case, count us out of that weigh-in.

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▶ Umenyiora, left, seen here during his standoff with Giants management, finally began practicing yesterday.

"He's not behind at all as far as the football part. He's up to speed completely. I think the players themselves were more energetic."
TOM COUGHLIN, GIANTS HEAD COACH

O, YOU AGAIN!

◗ Giants' Umenyiora practices for first time ◗ Skips out on talking to media ◗ Leaves teammates to talk

Osi Umenyiora ended his petulance yesterday by finally showing up to practice, but he didn't make himself available to the media.

Umenyiora — who's embroiled in a contract dispute and also a "he said, he said" entanglement with general manager Jerry Reese — was seen running with the first team and joking with teammates as if nothing ever happened.

That sight was a far cry from Umenyiora's public statement over the weekend when he said the Giants' incentive-laden offer was "unacceptable and shows they don't really respect the fact I sacrifice my health for the franchise … I will play under my current deal because I love and respect my coaches, my teammates, the fans and myself [but] not for those incentives."

The ninth-year veteran seemed much happier yesterday. Although he didn't have time for the little folks, there were plenty of co-workers willing to speak on his virtues and the importance of his return.

"Just because Osi is back on the football field doesn't mean this whole saga is over."
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"It's good to see him back. He was spirited and practice was very good. He jumped right in there and it was good to see that," said head coach Tom Coughlin, adding he hopes the drama is over. "I hope it's all behind us. He's here and wants to work and wants to be a part of the team. And we certainly want him here but we don't want part of him. We want it all."

Umenyiora jumped back into the starting lineup, but Coughlin said that doesn't mean the rush end position is exclusively his. The coach said there's definitely someone breathing down his neck who's capable of stepping right in if needed.

"He had a nice battle with [Will Beatty]," Coughlin said of Umenyiora and the left tackle. "But we'll also see JPP [Jason Pierre-Paul] on the other side and rotating with each end."

When asked if Umenyiora will play next Monday night against the Bears, Coughlin was noncommittal, saying the Giants have enough depth along the defensive line to not rush Umenyiora's return.

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Jets data

4/4
Mark Sanchez completed all four passes for 26 yards on the first drive of the game. They settled for a field goal.

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Shonn Greene had five rushes for 32 yards, including a long of 19 yards, in the first quarter.

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NFL. Jets

▶ Mark Sanchez got his game face on prior to last night's preseason opener.

And the quest begins

The Jets began their Super Bowl title quest in Houston last night with their first preseason game. Mark Sanchez and Shonn Greene looked sharp early, but the only scoring between both first teams came on a 33-yard Nick Folk field goal. Sanchez was 6-of-7 for 43 yards and left after the first quarter. The game ended too late for this edition.

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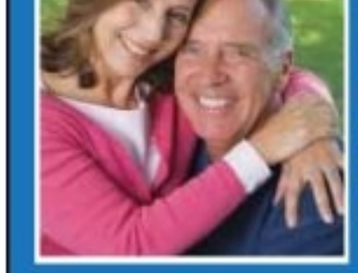

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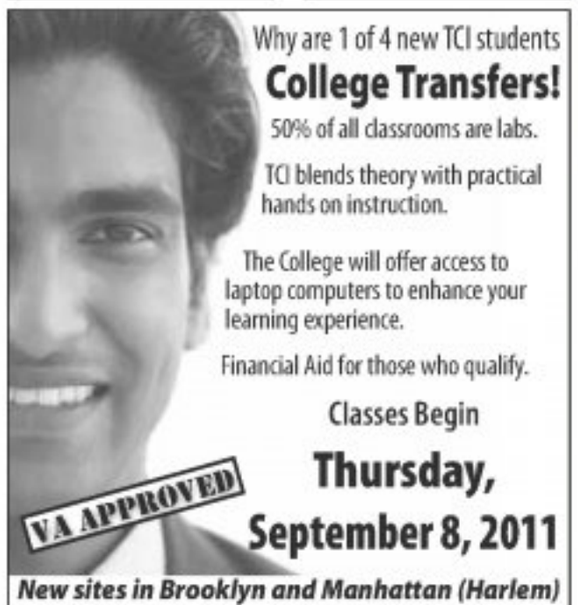

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